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For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING METAL LINE OF
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action, mailed on January 20, 2006, in the above-captioned patent application, consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested. This Response is mailed within the three-month period of response set in the Office Action, so Applicants believe that no fee is due. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due for filing this response, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Entry of this Response is respectfully requested insofar as it places the application in condition for allowance, or at least better form for appeal.

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And **Remarks** begin on page 4 this paper.